

WEST END-BUTLER LITIGATION GOES OVER 30 DAYS

Stipulation by Attorneys Filed With Clerk of the District Court

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLDING STATE CONVENTION AT THEIR HALL

Tonopah Council, Knights of Columbus, prepared for the opening of the State Council this morning by holding an all day session at their home at the head of Brougher avenue and inducting a class of thirty candidates through the mysteries of the third and fourth degrees under the guidance of Leonard B. Fowler, state deputy. The class included candidates from Goldfield, Reno, Ely and Tonopah, and the work was put on with an attention to detail that

spoke eloquently of the painstaking study of the officers entrusted with the impressive functions. Goldfield council sent over about fifty members to assist in putting on the work. They arrived by auto shortly after 9 o'clock and repaired at once to the Knights of Columbus home, where they joined the Tonopah knights and repaired to St. Patrick's church for high mass. A special musical service had been arranged and the choir was supplemented by an orchestra led by Julius Goldsmith and Carl Schimmel. Father Flynn delivered a special discourse on the principles of the order and closed with an eloquent peroration in which he urged every man of the congregation to join the fraternity.

The first degree was introduced shortly after 1 o'clock and then until 9 o'clock the interior of the Knights' Home was as busy as a beehive. Tonopah council presented the first degree, Goldfield members exemplified the second and a Reno team put on the third.

A banquet was spread in the upper hall after the secret ceremonies and speeches were delivered by the visitors who participated in the degree work.

This afternoon the council chamber was occupied by the State Convention, presided over by State Deputy Leonard B. Fowler, when details for the institution of a new council at Las Vegas were discussed. Ely is in the lead for the state convention for 1915, with Goldfield second.

PASTOR STRICKEN AS HE ADDRESSES CONGREGATION

REV. F. R. SANFORD REMOVED TO THE MIZPAH HOTEL FROM THE CHURCH.

Rev. F. R. Sanford was stricken suddenly last evening while conducting services at St. Mark's Episcopal church and had to be taken to the hotel for medical attention.

The reverend pastor came over from Goldfield by auto during the afternoon and showed marked feebleness, but it was supposed to be only a temporary illness, and he proceeded with the regular weekly service at the church. He made a valiant effort to maintain his composure by summoning his great will power to his aid, but he could not withstand the fever that raged in his system and asked the congregation to excuse him for a minute while he rested. He took a seat, but almost immediately collapsed, falling in a faint. He received prompt assistance and Hiram Blyden, of the taxicab service, who was in the audience, volunteered his services and removed the old gentleman to the Mizpah hotel, where he was compelled to take to bed.

Rev. Mr. Sanford has overtaxed his strength lately with the arduous duty of attending to the calls from the parishes of Goldfield and Tonopah. Last Saturday he was called hurriedly to Los Angeles to the deathbed of a sister, and the additional strain involving much loss of sleep proved too much for his strength.

J. E. RAMBO IS THE OBJECT OF INQUIRY

FORMER TONOPAH MINER WAS LAST HEARD FROM YEAR AGO IN RENO.

J. E. Rambo, a miner, supposed to have arrived in Reno a year ago, is being sought by his sister, Mrs. T. O. Grimsley, of Livingston, Mont., according to a letter received yesterday by Chief of Police Hillhouse, of Reno. Mrs. Grimsley declares that her brother lived in Tonopah for about five years and came to Reno last April. He wrote of his arrival here, but since that has failed to communicate with his relatives. The sister fears that Rambo is dead and asks that inquiries be made that she may secure some information as to his fate.

NO CASES OF SMALLPOX FOUND IN TONOPAH

Dr. Richards, county health officer, was notified this morning by a couple of indignant ladies that they were going to file complaints against two physicians for suppressing report of a case of alleged smallpox. Investigation proved that the patient in question was suffering from a well-defined and unmistakable case of chicken pox.

HOPKINS HEIRS PAY \$242,521 TO STATE

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., May 11.—With a check for \$242,521.41, the heirs of Charles H. Hopkins today paid what is believed to be the largest single inheritance tax ever paid in this state. Only one son, Prince C. Hopkins, and the widow, are legatees to the \$3,000,000 estate.

Mediators for the United States Named by Secretary W. J. Bryan

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—Associate Justice Lamar, of the United States supreme court, and Frederick Lehmann, of St. Louis, ex-solicitor general, have been selected by the president to present his views before the South American mediators on the Mexican mediation negotiations at Niagara Falls, Canada, Secretary Bryan officially announced.

CITY PAYS TRIBUTE TO DEAD

BURIAL OF THE BOYS WHO FELL IN THE CAPTURE OF VERA CRUZ.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 11.—To the dead from Vera Cruz landed on American soil, this city, state and nation paid tribute today. Hours before the city was astir, the flagdraped caskets were removed from the cruiser Montana, and placed on caissons in Battery park. Thousands lined the streets to watch the slow procession. Perhaps not since the Dewey parade has there been such a demonstration. That, however, instead of the noisy tribute to the returning victor, this was a reverent one for the returning dead. Behind the last caisson, Governor Glynn, senators, congressmen and representatives of the navy and army.

At the city hall Mayor placed a wreath of orchids on a caisson, as the city's tribute. Eight hundred children sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee," in the presence of 10,000 spectators. Then the procession led to Brooklyn navy yards. Secretary Daniels reported to the president the names of 19 dead.

President Wilson made no formal address at the memorial ceremonies. The reply of Secretary Daniels was slow and impressive. In a voice low and his face grave, he said: "What gives these men peculiar distinction is that they didn't give their lives for themselves, but for us because we, as a nation, called them. I hope to God none of you join the list, but if you will, you will join immortal company. We have gone to Mexico to serve mankind if we can find the way. We don't want to fight the Mexicans; we want to serve them."

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT ENDS IN A WEDDING

NUPTIALS OF ANDREW ROBINS AND MISS FLORENCE JUDD ANNOUNCED.

A romance of the past three weeks with love at first sight ended at St. Mark's Episcopal church last evening, when Rev. F. R. Sanford married Andrew Robins, civil engineer of the Tonopah Belmont Development company's staff, to Miss Florence Judd. The wedding was quietly arranged and the bride was attended by her parents, who left with their daughter this morning for their home in Los Angeles.

The fact that the couple had been married was not given out until after the bride had left town, when the truth was learned. Mrs. Robins will return about the first of June, when the couple will go to housekeeping. The bride came here from Los Angeles three weeks ago and was joined by her parents last week. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Dressler.

GOOD ROADS DAY.

Governor Odell has pronounced Thursday, May 21, Good Roads day, to be devoted to the voluntary repair of roads.

After the flag, the sanitary corps, Memphis Commercial Appeal.

AMERICAN CONSUL IS IN PRISON

SILLIMAN'S RELEASE WILL NOT BE GRANTED BY HUERTA.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 11.—American Consul Silliman still is imprisoned at Saltillo, according to a dispatch from the Brazilian minister in Mexico City, who reported to the state department that he made the strongest representation possible for the release of the American.

Admiral Mayo reported cannon shots were heard at Tampico last night. American Consul Miller is aboard the Connecticut. The fate of Tampico is still in doubt and the constitutionalists say they have captured it. Bryan indicated that the reported seizure of the Mexican light-house at Lobos Island, by Admiral Mayo, was the subject of a protest by Huerta and was called to his attention by the mediators. Investigation of the report was ordered by the department.

OVER A THOUSAND NAMES IN THE SCHOOL CENSUS

REPORT OF THE CENSUS MARSHALS FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.

The report of the school census marshals for the Tonopah district shows the total number of children of school age in the district to be 1,011, compared with 930 one year ago. The total number of children between 6 and 18 years of age is 834, divided 261 boys and 273 girls. The number of children between the ages of 18 and 21 is 62, between 4 and 6, 127, with 54 attending kindergarten. Between 6 and 18 years, only 31 are reported as not attending any school, and 29 are credited with attending private schools. One very important element is the absence of blind and deaf mutes from the enumeration. Races classification shows the presence of four negroes, seven Mongolians and three Indian children.

LONGSTREET MINE BONDED.

Jack Longstreet, who was in Carson this week, stated that he has just bonded his mine, located east of Tonopah, to the Tonopah Belmont Development company. The company has a representative sampling the property.

Labor Sentence Not Appealable

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 11.—The contempt sentences imposed by the district supreme court on Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, labor leaders, were set aside by the supreme court a second time as barred by the statute of limitations.

THIS WILL GIVE MORE TIME FOR MEDIATORS TO SUCCEED IN EFFECTING A COMPROMISE

The answer of the West End Consolidated Mining company to the complaint of the Jim Butler will not have to be filed for another thirty days, as per stipulation between attorneys filed this morning in the office of the clerk of the district court. This extends the time to June 13th. The stipulation was filed by Curtis H. Lindley and Hugh H. Brown for the Jim Butler, and Peck, Bunker & Cole for the West End.

This outcome has been anticipated for a week or more, as the absence of Judge Mark Averill in Berkeley and the announcement that he would not return until May 26th had paved the way for an extension. In this connection it is hinted that the thirty days are not essential to the preparation of the rejoinder, as the efforts of Cal and Wilse Brougher and Jim Butler, leading stockholders of the Jim Butler, may yet bring about an understanding. Attorney Peck is said to be in London with Frank H. Smith arranging details of the borax sale to German interests and could not be here in time to confer with Attorney W. H. Dickson, of Salt Lake, as was understood at the time the original date was fixed by the Fifth judicial district court.

BOB SKAGGS POSES AS A GUNFIGHTER IN ELKO COUNTY

FORMER STATESMAN TAKES POSSESSION OF BULLION MINE BY FORCE.

ELKO, May 11.—Bob Skaggs, the erstwhile statesman, has developed into a would-be gunfighter. For several years he was interested in mining claims at Bullion with James Burke and others, but through some means is said to have lost his interests in the camp. The claims are now incorporated under the name of the Bullion Nevada Copper Mines company and the property is in charge of A. R. Caton as superintendent and Mr. Burke.

Mr. Caton has been at the White Sulphur hot springs, west of town, for some time. Thursday Mr. Burke and Wm. Graham came in for provisions and left for Bullion Friday morning with a load of supplies. On the way out they met Superintendent Davis coming in. Mr. Davis stopped them and told them that Bob Skaggs and another man had gone to the mines with shotguns to take possession of them and that Skaggs had requested him (Davis) to tell Burke that he would kill him if he came to the mines.

Mr. Burke paid no attention to the threat and drove through Bullion and on to the mines. When within 100 yards of the buildings on the property, Skaggs, armed with a double-barreled shotgun, met them in the road and ordered them to stop or he would kill them, emphasizing his threat with vile names. Burke paid no attention to the command and drove on. The command was repeated and Skaggs cocked both barrels of the gun and took aim. Burke then turned leisurely around, drove back to Bullion, fed his team and then drove to Elko, reaching here about 12 o'clock last night.

This morning he swore to a complaint and Sheriff Harris went after Skaggs.

Skaggs' companion is said to be Sid Ireland, a worthless sort of a fellow who hung around Bullion nearly all winter.

It is supposed that they drove the Chinese cook from his quarters to the bunk house, where Mike Donnelly and Jack Carroll were staying. If so it is probable that a charge of burglary will be placed against both men.

RENO AGAIN SHAKEN BY SHAKING TEMBLOR

Reno experienced a recurrence of earthquake tremors Friday, with at least four separate jares to startle the timorous. None of the shocks were severe and no damage was done.

The first was noticed about 3:50 in the morning. It was followed by a slighter shock in about 20 minutes. Another shock was felt during the morning about 8 o'clock and another at night about 9:29.

For quick results try the want ad columns of the Bonanza.

HUERTA'S ENVOYS LEAVE VERA CRUZ FOR THE FALLS

PAPERS INSIST UNITED STATES HAS VIOLATED TERMS OF ARMISTICE.

(By Associated Press.) VERA CRUZ, May 11.—Emilio Rabasa, Augustin Rodriguez and Luis Elguero, peace commissioners appointed by Huerta to represent him at Niagara Falls conference, sailed today, clothed with full powers, nominally at least, to sign any agreement of the convention.

Mexico City newspapers continue bitter attacks on the United States. They insist the United States is violating the armistice in the charter of war transports by the war department.

Vera Cruz is free from gambling probably for the first time in centuries, by order of General Funston. Natives at waterfront booths sell soft drinks to American sailors and soldiers.

GUNBOAT BLOWN UP BY REBELS AT MAZATLAN

RETIRED AMERICAN OFFICER ARRESTED BY ORDERS OF FUNSTON.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 11.—Admiral Howard, of the Pacific fleet, reported the abandoned Mexican federal gunboat Morelo blown up by constitutionalists at Mazatlan. Rebel artillery on San Pedras Island drove Mexican transport Torreon out of the harbor. The American yacht Iola, overdue at Guaymas and reported captured by rebels, is safe.

First Lieutenant Charles Maigne, of the army, retired, who went through the Mexican lines as Vera Cruz correspondent for a newspaper, was arrested in Vera Cruz by order of the war department. Although retired he still is subject to jurisdiction of the department. He had been ordered to cease writing. Garrison figured in the order. It will be difficult to satisfy the Mexicans that Maigne is not a military spy.

FORGOT FRACTURED SKULL TO REMOVE AUTO FROM OTHERS

BERKELEY, Cal., May 11.—Richard W. Graham, known as "Coalinka Dlek," operator of oil wells in the Coalinka district, forgot for a few minutes tonight a fractured skull and other injuries received in an automobile accident, and aided other persons in moving the motor car which pinned down the women and children of the party. He is in a Berkeley hospital and is not expected to live.

The average congressman's idea of helping the railroads is to vote himself a big wad of mileage.—Boston Transcript.

LAHONTAN DAM IS TO BE FILLED THIS SUMMER

EXPECT TO IMPOUND WATER ENOUGH FOR 46,000 ACRES.

The big gates at Lahontan dam will be closed the last of this week and the process of storing a part of the Carson watershed runoff will be active. At present the cubic foot flow at the dam averages around 1,200 and this will be made to mount up as the impounding process continues. The present capacity of the dam is 46,000 acre feet of stored water, though it is only aimed to store from 30,000 to 40,000 acre feet of water from the Carson flow for 1914 project uses.

Project Engineer D. W. Cole states that the work of building the dam will probably proceed more rapidly from this time forward than the storage process. In another week with the raising of the temporary spillway the dam's capacity increases. Finally, when completed, it will impound 290,000 acre feet of water for irrigation purposes here, thus assuring an independent supply for uses in this part of the project.

Last Monday the Truckee river flow under the impetus given by the warmer weather, jumped in its volume of water at Derby dam from 1,200 cubic feet to 2,500 and it has since been quite high. There is no doubt, however, but that the Fernley and Hazen districts of the project will draw a plentiful supply of irrigation water from the Truckee this season, adequate for every purpose. Project Engineer D. W. Cole states that the snow is still banked up in the mountains and that the supply will be abundant throughout the year. —Churchill Standard.

POPULAR CATERER BECOMES BENEDICT

FORMER OWNER OF THE RICH-ELIEU MARRIED SATURDAY EVENING BY DUNSEATH.

Charles Zuzello and Miss Mabel Quick were married Saturday evening at the justice court with Justice Dunseath officiating. The witnesses were Miss Lydia Quick and Andy Rodanovich. A wedding supper was served at the home, which the bridegroom had provided for his bride near the West End mill, and from 9 o'clock to midnight the festivities continued. Among the guests were Adolph Maller, who entertained with music, Mike Kullacha, Steve Walters, Clarence Wormsey, Andy Rodanovich, Bob Belcher, Mrs. Earl Quick and Miss Lydia Quick.

KENTUCKY STATESMAN DIES IN NEW YORK

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 11.—Colonel John C. Calhoun May, Democratic national committeeman from Kentucky, died this morning.